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7 WORLD SAVINGS BANK, FSB,
renamed and now known as
8 WACHOVIA MORTGAGE, FSB, sued as
WORLD SAVINGS BANK
9 and GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS
ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO., sued
10 as GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION.

11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
12 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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14 ROMELYN G. GARNER, Pro Se,

15 Plaintiff,

16 vs.

17 WORLD SAVINGS BANK; GOLDEN WEST
18 SAVINGS ASSN;

19 Defendants.
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Case No. 08 CV 847 DMS (WMC)

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE OF
EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION
CONFERENCE, OR, IN THE
ALTERNATIVE, AUTHORIZATION OF
TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE BY
DEFENDANTS' SETTLEMENT
REPRESENTATIVE

[Proposed Order Submitted Separately]

DATE: JULY 22, 2008

TIME: 3:00 P.M.

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23 TO THE COURT AND TO PLAINTIFF, *PRO SE*:

24 Defendants WACHOVIA MORTGAGE, F.S.B. and GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS
25 ASSOCIATION SERVICE CO. request that the Early Neutral Evaluation Conference be
26 continued to the third or fourth week of August 2008, between August 18 and August 29, 2008.
27 The purpose of this request is to permit personal attendance of the person for Defendants who will
28 have the full authority to negotiate and enter into a settlement of the case, as required by the

1 Notice and Order of this Court dated June 11, 2008 setting that conference. Though a continuance
2 is preferred, in the alternative, telephonic appearance of the settlement representative is requested.
3 The officer who would attend or appear telephonically is Michael B. Goldberg, Esq., Vice
4 President and Assistant General Counsel, Wachovia Legal Division, whose office is located in San
5 Antonio, Texas. He will have full settlement authority for both defendants.

6 The reason for this request is that Mr. Goldberg will be personally attending settlement
7 conferences in New Jersey and Pennsylvania on behalf of Wachovia Mortgage, F.S.B. during the
8 week of July 22, 2008. Mr. Goldberg would hope to be able to attend this court's Early Neutral
9 Evaluation Conference personally, but is unable to do that until the third or fourth week of August
10 2008.

11 If the continuance is not granted, defendants request that Mr. Goldberg's telephonic
12 appearance be permitted on July 22. Given the time zone, Mr. Goldberg's settlement conferences
13 will be concluded before the 3:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time of this court's conference, and he
14 will be able to fully participate by conference call as if he were to personally appear.

15 A separate proposed order is submitted herewith.

16 Respectfully Submitted,

17 Dated: July 8, 2008

18 ANGLIN, FLEWELLING, RASMUSSEN,
19 CAMPBELL & TRYTTEN LLP

20 By: /s/ Frederick J. Hickman
21 Frederick J. Hickman
22 Attorneys for Defendants WORLD
23 SAVINGS BANK, F.S.B. AND
24 GOLDEN WEST SAVINGS ASSOCIATION
25 SERVICE CO.
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1 PROOF OF SERVICE
2 (C.C.P. § 1013A(3))
3 STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

4 I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of
5 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is: 199 S. Los Robles Avenue,
6 Suite 600, Pasadena, California 91101.

7 On July 8, 2008, I served the foregoing document described as:

8 REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE OF EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION CONFERENCE,
9 OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, AUTHORIZATION OF TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE BY
10 DEFENDANTS' SETTLEMENT REPRESENTATIVE

11 on the interested parties in this action by placing true copies thereof enclosed in sealed
12 envelopes addressed as follows:

13 Romelyn B. Garner, *PRO SE*
14 1788 Sherbrooke Street
15 San Diego, CA 92139
16 (619) 434-3395

17 MAIL

18 ☐ I deposited such envelope in the mail at PASADENA California. The envelope was
19 sealed and mailed with postage thereon fully prepaid. [OR]

20 ☒ I am readily familiar with the office's business' practice for collection and processing of
21 correspondence for mailing with the United State Postal Service. The correspondence would
22 be deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of
23 business. On the date above the correspondence was placed at the business address stated
24 above for deposit in the United States Postal Service. The envelope was sealed and placed for
25 collection and mailing on that date following ordinary business practices.

26 ☒ (FEDERAL) I declare that I am employed in the offices of a member of this Court at
27 whose direction the service was made.

28 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that
the above is true and correct and this declaration is executed this date, July 8, 2008.

Jill Ashley

/s/ Jill Ashley
(Signature)